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REMARKS

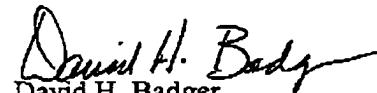
In response to the requirement for restriction, applicant hereby elects the claims of Group I, claims 30-37 drawn to a jacking system including continuous linear motion motors.

Claims 1-21 and 23-29 were cancelled when this continuing application was filed, and, to avoid confusion, are cancelled again by this amendment. Claim 22 is cancelled without prejudice to Applicant's right to pursue its subject matter in a continuing application.

The amended claims of this application are set forth at the beginning on page 2.

Applicant respectfully submits that the claims of this application are patentable and in condition for allowance, and that amended claim 31 and new claims 38-49 include subject matter that was found to be patentable in the parent application, now U.S. Patent No. 6,652,194.

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